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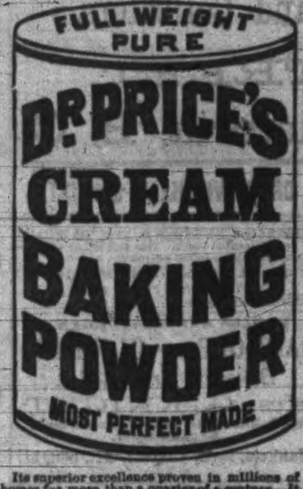

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THE SPORTING WORLD.

Peterson and Hamm—A Record Breaker in San Francisco.

Hamm and Peterson are hard at work preparing for their race, which will take place as a special feature at the regatta on May 5th. Hamm takes two spins each day in his shell, and is rapidly getting into good form. He expects to reach 164 pounds before the day of the race. He shows much more plainly than Peterson the effects of his training. Peterson is looking big and strong and is either taking moderate exercise or is capable of doing a tremendous lot of work without feeling or showing it. He has profited materially by watching the Eastern men row. His stroke is of greater ease than formerly. He also pays more attention to his training and will no doubt go to the starting point on May 5th in first-class form.

Johnny Muirhead intends to enter for the amateur single scull race at the coming regatta.

John Teemer, with George Hosmer for mate, will row double during the coming season. Jake Gaudaur and Al Hamm will form a double scull team, and it is more than likely that some important races will be decided this season. Hamm and Gaudaur intend to practice in California waters before returning East.

P. J. Higgins, who holds the six mile cross-country championship of Ireland, has settled in San Francisco, and will probably compete in the next games. He has a record of 4:32 on the mile.

Cameron, the champion wrestler, will leave for San Francisco on to-morrow's steamer. He will return to take part in the sports on the Queen's Birthday.

Clem Austin is in this city. He is making arrangements to box a local man for $100 aside. The story that the men fought on Wednesday night was started by one of our young private detectives.

The baseball season will open on Friday, April 19th. The first game will be played by the James Bays and Maple Leafs.

The Mayflower baseball club will hold their regular monthly meeting this evening.

The rowdy pugilists who indulged in the shooting scrape at Seattle last week, have been indicted by the grand jury, and in default of $500 bail each, have gone to jail to await trial.

BASEBALL.

The Englishmen have not taken to baseball with any degree of enthusiasm. A Birmingham paper in describing the game there between the Chicagos and the All-Americas says that the score was tied in the fourth innings and remained tied, when the ninth came. Instead of the people getting excited as each innings passed without result, they all went home and at the end of the eleventh innings the game was called while still a tie, for want of spectators. The same paper describes "hits" as "strokes," and says baseball anyway is only elaborated rounders, and not to be compared to football or cricket.

FOR THE FAR NORTH.

A Party of Winnipeggers to Start for the Arctic Ocean.

A party of Manitobans were to leave on Thursday for a pleasure trip north to the Arctic ocean. The party will consist of Hon. A. W. Everest, Count de Sainville, Mr. T. Young, of Lake Manitoba, and probably Mr. LaTouche Tupper, of that city. The party will go to Calgary by the C. P. R., and from there stage across to Edmonton, and then on to Athabasca Landing. Here a boat will be built, and the party will proceed down the Athabasca River, down Slave River to Slave Lake and across Slave Lake to the Mackenzie River and then to the Arctic ocean. They will coast along for about five hundred miles to Point Barrer, the most northern point in Alaska. Here the only difficulty on the trip is likely to be experienced, as this point is noted for being blocked in by ice floes. Provided they pass this point successfully, the next point will be Behrings Straits and then down the coast to Victoria and over the C. P. R. back to Winnipeg. The route followed will be the same as that taken by Lord Lonsdale for the first part of the journey. Lord Lonsdale left the Mackenzie River and then across to the Yukon, while Mr. Everest goes direct north. It is a long journey, but the party think they will be successful.

Chicago, April 7.—Alphonse LeDuc, the half-breed who accompanied Lord Londsdale part of the way to the Arctic, arrived in Chicago yesterday from Manitoba. LeDuc says that with funds and material he can reach the North Pole. His idea is to go overland by sled. He thinks that with three hundred men a line of communication for supplies north and south could be maintained without great difficulty. Headquarters would be on the peninsula of Boothia, twelve days by courier from the nearest telegraph to Winnipeg. LeDuc will attempt to interest a number of newspapers to get them to back him up. It is possible that government aid will be asked. LeDuc goes from here to New York within a day or two.

WHISPERS OF THE WIRES.

The News Condensed Into Short Paragraphs.

Pancker, Russian minister of roads, has died of pneumonia.

The report that an attempt had been made to assassinate the Czar is not confirmed.

France and China have agreed to connect China and Ton Quin by telegraph lines, and establish communication between Saigon and Peking.

The United States Consul General at Rio de Janeiro has reported to the secretary of state that yellow fever is prevalent there to an alarming extent.

The *Mailand Express* special London cable says: The agreement between America and Germany not to increase the naval forces at Samoa during the conference, is interpreted at Berlin to mean that the number of vessels in Samoan waters shall not exceed the number stationed there before the recent catastrophe.

Rev. Paul Langille, of New Brunswick, has been appointed assistant to Rev. Jos. Hogg, pastor of St. Andrew's church, Winnipeg.

An Ottawa friend of a person in Lord Lansdowne's household has received a letter from Calcutta, giving glowing accounts of life in the Orient. The writer states that the entertainments at which the vice-regal party assist in Hindostan are on a scale of magnificence never equalled in Canada, barring the torrid nature of the climate. Their Excellencies are much pleased with their new home. Some five white and 150 native servants are employed by the Marquis at Government House in the city mentioned.

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street.

Indictment Against Beecher.

A Port Townsend grand jury voted to return indictments against Herbert F. Beecher, ex-special agent of the treasury; against Quindy A Brooks, ex-collector, and Wm. M. Harnard, who has served as special deputy for a number of years. It is not possible to learn on what the indictments are based, nor the number of counts. The grand jury is composed about equally of Democrats and Republicans.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Sir Charles Russell Concludes His Speech on Behalf of the Parnellites.

Boulanger Closely Watched—Emigrant Steamer Abandoned.

By Postal Telegraph.]

London, April 12.—Sir Charles Russell concluded his address on behalf of the Parnellites before the Parnell commission to-day. He said he would undertake to show that the money that the Parnellites gave to Byrne was meant for ordinary purposes of the land league, and not as was alleged to enable Byrne to escape. He declared Parnell was not aware that Byrne was in peril. Russell's conclusion caused quite a sensation. The general opinion is that Sir Charles never spoke in better form. The Chief Justice, Sir James Mounan, passed a note to him in which he said: "I congratulate you; it was a great speech and worthy of this great occasion."

In concluding his address Russell said the court was trying the history of the Irish revolution, and he asked for it a fair and generous consideration. "If prosperity was returning to Ireland," he said, "I would thank God, but affairs are unhealthy when the people consider that imprisonment of a member of the House of Commons made of that member a hero and a martyr." He did not speak, he said, merely as an advocate of members of the House of Commons, but he spoke for the land of his birth, and as he believed in the interests of England. The enquiry which was intended to be a curse had been a blessing, and that which was designed to ruin one man had been his vindication." The Commission adjourned until the 30th inst.

STEAMER ABANDONED.

London, April 12.—The steamer City of Chester, from New York, which arrived at Queenstown last night, reports having passed in mid ocean the Danish steamer Denmark, from Copenhagen to New York. The vessel had been abandoned and was in a sinking condition. She had apparently been in collision. Her bow stood out of water while the stern was sunken almost below the level of the water. She carried six hundred and fifty passengers, presumably all emigrants. Including the vessel's captain, R. V. Judson, the crew numbered forty men.

Regarding the abandonment of the steamer Denmark, the agents of the company do not credit the report. Mr. Edge of the firm, cabled to the London office from New York further particulars at noon. Edge said nothing further was received. The Denmark was formerly a freight steamer of White Cross line; was built in 1880 at Newcastle, England, and rated in the highest class. She was of iron, brigantine rigged, three decks, nine water tight bulkheads, and a carrying capacity of 4,400 tons.

Mr. Edge, the New York agent, says the Denmark was commanded by Captain Kinsen, an old seaman well known for his courage and presence of mind. He is not known to abandon the ship to the mercies of the waves when there was one chance in even a thousand of getting her into port. She may have been disabled, but we are very nearly certain that she had sufficient means to accommodate all passengers on board if not all the crew. There were a great number of life-boats, enough for a great passenger list, and several new rafts of the latest pattern and improvements, which could have accommodated the crew and officers and some of the passengers, if there was not room enough in the life-boats for them.

SUGAR MARKET.

London, April 12.—The sugar market is booming to-day and dealings are attended with considerable excitement. A report is current to the effect that the Cuban crop is short and that it is mostly in the hands of a few continental capitalists.

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

London, April 11.—Sir Charles Russell continued his speech on behalf of the Parnellites before the Parnell commission to-day. He declared that the publication by the *Times* of the forged letters, and the articles on "Parnellism and Crime," was a serious and reckless calumny. He characterized the manner adopted by the prosecution and the tone of the *Times'* apology as most ungenerous.

THE KAISER'S VISIT.

London, April 10.—The *Pall Mall Gazette*, in referring to the expected visit to England of Emperor William, asserts that the Kaiser will remain most of the time during his visit on board of the vessel that brings him, in order to avoid as much as possible meeting an illustrious personage with whom he is violently offended. This extravagant assertion of the *Gazette* refers to the quarrel between the Kaiser and the Prince of Wales, but no one supposes that the latter would be rude towards his mother's guest, nor that Emperor William would place himself in a position that would be the subject of much unfavorable comment.

REGENT OF LUXEMBERG.

Luxemberg, April 10.—The Duke of Nassau received an enthusiastic reception here to-day when he came to assume the regency of the Duchy of Luxemberg. In his speech before the Council the Duke said he hoped to soon gain the sympathies of the people. He declared he was ready to shed the last drop of his blood for the welfare of his country.

GERMANY'S INFLUENCE IN SAMOA.

London, April 11.—The *Standard* says Germany must abandon the idea of securing the preponderating influence in Samoa.

BOULANGER'S TRIAL.

Paris, April 11.—Detectives in the service of the government are closely watching Boulanger's house in Paris, where members of the party meet secretly every day to discuss the situation. Naquet, Farquet and Laisant, the deputies who have just been acquitted, have gone to Brussels, but they promise to return Thursday or Friday. The senate will appoint a committee of nine members to examine the charges against Boulanger, to decide whether they are such as to justify his prosecution. If this committee submits an indictment, which is of course expected to be the result of their deliberations, the accused is to be allowed 20 days within which to appear and defend himself. Should Boulanger be convicted by default upon not returning to Paris in time to stand his trial, the sentence which the senate may pass upon him will stand until he does appear, when everything which has been done will be annulled and a fresh trial will be necessary. The sittings of the senate, as a court, will be public, but the court is to deliberate on its decision and do its voting in private.

Broken Leg.

A driver employed by the Corporation fell from a wagon near Beaver Lake this morning, breaking a leg. He was taken to the Royal Hospital where the limb was attended to.

Suspended.

Mayor Moran of Seattle, has suspended Chief Mitchell for malfeasance of office. This action is the outgrowth of the chief's negligence in not enforcing the ordinances of the city. Capt. Willard has been appointed acting chief pending the action of the council in the matter.

GROSS MISMANAGEMENT.

Charges Preferred by Sir Richard Against the Finance Minister.

Ottawa, April 10.—In the House of Commons to-day, Sir Richard Cartwright introduced a resolution of want in confidence against the Government in connection with last year's loan of $20,000,000. The loan, though negotiated for a period of fifty years, is to be paid in annual installments of about $2,000,000. This, he claims, will mean its entire payment in less than ten years. He excused the Hon. Geo. E. Foster from any responsibility, but laid the blame upon Sir Charles Tupper, the High Commissioner to England. Sir Richard laid a special stress upon the responsibility of the stock for the repayment of the loan being held at a high figure when requested by the Government to liquidate its obligations. The claim in the prospectus, providing for an annual expenditure of nearly $2,000,000 for a sinking fund, he held to be binding. "Canada," he said, "has made a loan for fifty years, but in reality it is only a loan for five or six years repayable, in all likelihood, at a premium. Within two years we will own two-thirds of the stock, and before long the unpurchased remainder will be held for the purposes of speculation and it can only be purchased by the Government at exhorbitant figures." The recent loan has practically a sinking fund of ten per cent attached to it. His resolution was to the effect that the transaction is an improvident one and evidence gross mismanagement on the part of those intrusted with the matter. Hon. George E. Foster replied and justified the loan in every particular and held himself, as Minister of Finance, responsible for the transaction. The arguments of Sir Richard Cartwright were only formed on a possibility which might never happen. The financial agents in England are equally guiltless of any culpability. Sir Richard, he said, had defended the same men from Opposition attacks in 1876. Sir Richard's case simply depends on the obligation. He assumes that Canada is strictly bound to carry it out. In all previous loans a prospectus was issued and the obligation and stipulation is in the bond itself. Proceeding, Mr. Foster declared that the prospectus itself is not absolutely binding. The bond defines the conditions of the loan. These conditions alone are binding and the Government could not be committed to anything else by an expression of intention in the prospectus. After the recess Messrs. Weldon, (St. John), Mulock, Waldie, Peter White, Sir John Thompson and Coulter spoke, and the latter closed the debate. Sir John Thompson said that the bond was the contract between the borrower and the lender, both parties were bound by it and not by the prospectus. There was no legal obligation on the Government to buy up these bonds in case they were unduly inflated. A division resulting, the amendment was rejected by 43 majority, the vote being, yeas 74, and nays 117.

FOR THE CONGO.

A Huge Enterprise Discussed in Financial Circles.

New York *Sun* cable from London says: General Strachey, President of the Royal Geographical Society, has informed me that Stanley's letter to the society gives details, ethnological and geographical, of his journey which will prove of surpassing interest and importance. Between the mouth of the Ituri river and Albert Nyanza, there are nearly 300,000 square miles of forest, but any syndicate proposing to handle that lumber will have to dispose first of the cannibal savages and equally ferocious dwarf tribes, not to mention such trifles as rapids, cataracts and swamps. Nevertheless, Stanley's published letters have deeply moved certain capitalists, and there is wild talk of a colossal Central African syndicate on the lines of the old East Indian Company. It is believed that Stanley's discoveries will attract capital to the Congo Independent State. The King of the Belgians has long cherished the idea of paying a visit to the Congo, and thus starting a boom.

This information comes from an exalted functionary of the Belgian court, and its accuracy is beyond doubt. His Majesty will penetrate as far into the interior of Africa as may be considered safe for the King, and he may be absent from Europe for over a year. Before starting a regency will be appointed.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Chinaman Scalded—Mill Machinery—Sealer, etc.

From the Courier.]

The one-armed Chinaman employed to do general chores around the engines at the No. 1 Esplanade shaft, had a very unpleasant experience yesterday. It seems that the Chinaman was standing on a piece of wood placed across a tank filled with hot water, near the furnace, when he fell in. The Celestial wished to make a lid or cover for the tank so to save the hot water from being mixed with cinders and ashes from the furnaces, and in order to do so first placed a piece of board across the top of the tank and then proceeded to saw it into shape while standing on it. The dragging of the saw caused the wood to tip and precipitate the unfortunate Chinaman into the scalding water. Owing to his having only one arm he was unable to scramble out, and his cries for help were piteous. The men working close by rushed to his assistance and dragged him out, but not before as was badly scalded. His legs were very badly blistered, but no serious results are anticipated. Everything that was possible was done for him.

Pilot McDonald has chartered his schooner Winnifred, for five months to Whittier & Cluclas, who have fitted her out for a sealing voyage in the North Pacific. The Winnifred carries ten men besides the necessary provisions, etc., for seal hunting.

The balance of the new plant for the *Courier* will arrive to-day, and as soon as it can be put to-gether the paper will appear in an enlarged form and new dress.

The new planer received by Messrs. Haslam & Lees was hauled to their mill yesterday. It is a remarkably fine piece of machinery and weighed over three and a half tons, and needed the assistance of eight horses to take it to its destination.

Gabel's Shirts.

Fine shirts, clothing and underwear made to order. Gentlemen wishing to duplicate orders and make selections of the latest fashions and designs, can do so by calling or sending postal card to 61 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C., p. o. box 734, D. J. Levy, sole agent for British Columbia.

Dream Food.

Stevenson gets the best results in the form of dreams from Welsh rarebit, taken with deviled bone and dog's nose. Howells prefers skim milk with cistern water and taken just before retiring, after a twelve hours' fast. James found the dreams resulting from Mr. Howells' diet to be too exciting for use in his novels. He now gets the best results when a dude talks him to sleep. Black drinks sea water copiously at all hours of the night. Besant keeps Limberger cheese by his bedside when wishing to write London slum stories. The *Colonist* sleeps with the amendment to the school act under its head, while the Vancouver *World* sinks off into somnolence with the sweet reflection that its [illegible] railway bill.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES

Lord Dunraven's Challenge Accepted—Peculiar Conduct of a War Vessel.

Losses by Fire—Another Times Witness Skips and Turns up in New York.

By Postal Telegraph.]

New York, April 11—Thos. Walsh, one of the men on whose promises of startling revelations and incriminating documents Sir Richard Webster relied to prove his case against Parnell and his colleagues, is now in this city. He slipped away from London the night before he was wanted. He alleges that the agents of the *Times* continued to urge him to make disclosures against Parnell. Finally, he set himself systematically to "work them," and after getting all the money out of them he could he skipped to France and then to this country.

TROUBLE IN SAN DOMINGO.

New York, April 10.—Capt. Stubbs, of the schooner Carrie A. Bucknall, which arrived to-day from San Domingo, reports that March 21, about noon, he saw a vessel steam toward his vessel from the land, distant seven or eight miles. The craft proved to be a Domician war vessel. She laid her course to intercept the Bucknall, but could not do so owing to the strong breeze prevailing, and fell astern a half or three-quarters of a mile. When nearly in the schooner's wake she fired a shot, which struck the water only a few yards from the Bucknall's stern. She then gave chase, but with a good strong breeze the schooner soon distanced her. After keeping up the chase two hours she gave it up and putting about steamed for the land. She was a low, rakish three-masted steamer of about 500 tons, apparently of French or Spanish build. Her decks were crowded with men. What her errand was can only be conjectured, as the Bucknall fell outside of their jurisdiction and was on the high seas, where they could have no legitimate right to follow her. The American flag was flying at the schooner's peak all the time, it having been hoisted as soon as the steamer was made out to be a war vessel. Capt. Stubbs says nothing was heard by the Bucknall's crew of this vessel or the rebellion in San Domingo city. The better class of people here hesitate to speak their minds out to foreigners. They no doubt are afraid of compromising themselves.

STEAMER BURNED.

New Orleans, April 12.—The British steamer Chilian, formerly of the West Indian line, loaded with cotton and grain, caught fire this morning and 2,500 bales of cotton and twenty thousand bushels of grain were burned. The vessel shows signs of sinking and may founder.

RAILWAY COLLISION.

Canton, Ohio, April 12.—A collision has occurred on the Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad, between two coal trains. Both locomotives were reduced to scrap iron; one man was fatally injured. The engineers and firemen saved themselves by jumping.

DISASTROUS FIRES.

New York, April 12.—At midnight last night the jute mills of Buchanan & Lyall, in Brooklyn, the largest in the country, took fire while 200 employees were at work filling orders for E. S. Higgins & Co., whose employees are on strike. Men and women jumped from the windows. No lives are reported lost, but several were badly burned and injured. The walls fell at one o'clock this morning, setting fire to adjacent buildings. Loss, $400,000; fully covered by insurance.

HAD THE EFFECT.

Modesto, Cal., April 12.—Pedro Gallo a barber, took a dose of morphine last night to produce sleep and it killed him.

TRIAL COMMENCED.

San Barnardino, Cal., April 12—The trial of John Oaks, who shot and killed E. W. Morse, cashier of the San Barnardino National Bank last December, will be commenced this morning.

EXPLAINING THE STORY.

Paris, April 12.—The story that another attempt had been made upon the life of the Czar is said to have emanated from the fact that an officer commanding the Czar's bodyguard was wounded by the accidental explosion of a dynamite bomb.

LORD DUNRAVEN'S CHALLENGE.

New York, April 12.—The committee of the New York Yacht Club appointed to consider the challenge offered by Lord Dunraven, owner of the yacht Valkyria, has recommended that the challenge be accepted.

AN OLD MAN'S SUICIDE.

Los Angeles, April 12.—Jacob Hemmitt, an old man supposed to be quite wealthy, and who was sued a few weeks ago by his housekeeper for breach of promise of marriage, suicided last night. He first took a mixture of laudanum and strychnine, but this not proving rapid enough, he shot himself through the heart with a small pistol, dying in a few minutes.

BOY DROWNED.

San Francisco, April 12. — Vincent Gillies, 14 years of age, went for a sail on the bay last night with two other boys. The latter rocked the boat, which capsized, and Gillies was drowned.

GOVERNOR OF ALASKA.

Washington, April 12.—The President to-day appointed Lyman E. Cropp, of Middleburg, to be Governor of Alaska, and Thos. M. Reed, jr., of Washington Territory, to be register of land office, Seattle, W. T.

A ROBBER SHOT.

Centralia, Ill., April 12.—Robbers entered the post office here at four o'clock this morning and were discovered by two night policemen and a pitched battle ensued. Many shots were exchanged. One of the robbers fell wounded and the other two ran away. The police pursued them a short distance, and when they came back found the wounded man had escaped, leaving a revolver and a pair of shoes. The robbers were disturbed before they got to work on the safe and only got what money there was in the stamp drawer, a little over a dollar. A large negro was found dead at the Central city bridge at 5 o'clock, terribly mangled. He had quite a number of coppers in his pocket and no shoes on. It is supposed to be the wounded robber and had been struck by a train while making his escape.

Ritualism in Winnipeg.

Under the above heading a Winnipeg correspondent telegraphs as follows: "There was a lively meeting at All Saints' (Episcopal) church last night (Tuesday), when several of the congregation made strong objections to the ritualistic practices of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Tudor. That gentleman made a full explanation and stated that some of the practices he could not conscientiously abandon, but in other particulars mutual concessions were made. The matter is not settled, however, and some of the congregation threaten to secede."

The Goodyear, Cook & Co.'s minstrels performed last evening in the Victoria Theatre. The house was small. Through lack of printer's ink the majority of residents were unaware of the performance.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER

To Arrive To-night—Keeping in Touch With the Country.

Special to The Times.]

Vancouver, April 12.—Sir Charles Tupper arrived from the east to-day and proceeded to Victoria, where he will remain a day. On his return to Vancouver he is expected to remain a day in the city, and then leave on his return journey. To your correspondent, Sir Charles reported that the object of his visit was to keep in touch with the country. He has no special business, and wishes simply to keep himself informed on the progress of the country, its developments, requirements, etc. Sir Charles appears to be in excellent health and has fully recovered from the effects of an injury to his foot, sustained in the east. His stay in Canada will be a brief one.

A USELESS EXPENDITURE.

Half a Million Squandered on the Dominion Franchise Law.

From a return submitted to the Dominion Parliament, we learn that the useless Dominion Franchise Law cost the country, up to the first of January last, $414,921, and the expenses incurred so far this year in preparing the voters' lists, $86,313. Over half a million dollars, and for what? For the past three years there has been no revision of the voters' lists, and were an election to be held in Victoria this summer to chose a successor to Mr. Baker, hundreds of properly qualified electors would find themselves disfranchised. Under the old order of things this could not have happened, and the responsibility for the omission of any names could have rested with those claiming the right to vote. Yet the votes of the Victoria representatives helped to fasten this obnoxious law upon the country. It was a government measure and as such it was politic, from a purely personal standpoint, to support it. British Columbia possessed a more liberal franchise law, and one that afforded every possible facility for registration. To substitute for it an expensive, cumberous, unworkable law, which for the past two or three years has practically disfranchised thousands of voters, was the work of partizans who were actuated by the same motive that influenced the followers of Sir John to gerrymander Ontario a few years before. British Columbia members will best stand by the province by refusing to become "scheming politicians," and by keeping steadily in view that they are representatives of a province that has nothing in common with the faction squabbles of the east. But we regret to see that they do not always do this, and that on this essentially "party" measure they still continue their opposition to the well-understood views of the people of the province.

OUR NATIONAL PARK.

Becoming a Popular Resort—Improvements by Government.

The National Park of Canada, close to the Rocky Mountains, and on the eastern edge of British Columbia, is fast becoming as popular as the Yellowstone Park, situated about five hundred miles southeast of it. Last year it was visited by over two hundred persons, and already it has six hundred and fifty permanent residents. These, however, only form the nucleus of the large population which is bound rapidly to settle there, distant though it be. As for visitors they are sure to flock there in tens of thousands as it becomes more widely known, and now that the Canadian Pacific Railroad not only skirts it but lands visitors at the entrance of a spacious hotel, five storeys high, from which diverge roads and bridle paths in many directions leading to the varied attractions of the park.

This Canadian National Park is certain to become one of the most famous and popular breathing spots on this continent, for its natural attractions and beauties are unrivalled, while the work of improving is rapidly advancing under Superintendent Stewart. From his last report we learn that bridal paths are now in construction up the sides of the mountains, from the tops of which magnificent panoramic views of picturesque scenery are beheld, and that many miles of carriage roads have been built to various places of interest. Among these roads that to the Devil's Lake is specially worthy of mention, for it is so good that the nine and a half miles can be covered in an hour. Then two permanent bridges have been built over the Bow and Spray rivers. The Bow River is a splendid stream, three hundred feet wide, and, at this bridge over it, flows at the rate of twenty miles an hour till within half a mile of its celebrated falls it suddenly drops seventy feet before dashing over.

At these Falls, too, is a cave of great interest, to which entrance is gained by an improvised tunnel. There, also, are hot and sulphur springs, and baths can be obtained both in sanitariums and in a natural basin. The finest fishing can be had in the big lake adjacent. Then the Bow River is much frequented by pleasure parties who sail or steam up and down above the rapids.

The Government is trying to vary the seeming monotony attending the pine trees, which form the flora in the present landscape, by transplanting 20,000 trees of numerous varieties that flourish in the Northwest, but beyond that the future improvements will be confined chiefly to road-making; indeed this grand park, of which 15,000 acres have been already surveyed, requires no other improvement. It is sure to become a favorite resort of lovers of the grand and beautiful, as well as of those in search of health and recreation.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir.

Just before going to press, it is learned that Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir has had a relapse and is in a very critical condition. The medical men have some small hope that he may yet recover.

Explosion at Anthracite.

A bad explosion took place in the Anthracite mines a few days ago. Choke damp which had accumulated in an unused chamber invaded a gallery in which a large gang of men were working, and coming in contact with their lamps caused a terrific explosion. A dozen men were more or less injured three especially being very severely burned and bruised. It is rumored that the Anthracite mines will again be closed down on the 14th inst., a large number of hands having already been discharged.

Excited Passengers.

The steamer Emma Haywood encountered a gale in the straits of Juan de Fuca on Tuesday evening. The storm broke the guys of the smoke stack, and it toppled over to one side and struck the whistle. This kept the whistle tooting as though they were bewitched. This, with the fury of the storm, raised a panic amongst the passengers. A rush was made for the life preservers, and it took the united efforts of the officers to quiet the excited passengers. The stack was replaced, and the Haywood is as good as ever.

In Castle Garden six English boys, passengers on the steamer Wyoming, were detained on the charge that they had been hired in England by a man named Kew, to work on his brother's ranch. The boys will probably be returned to England.

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THE TWO-WHEEL HORSES.

Under the heading of "Strong Testimony," in which the Colonist leans heavily for support on the Vancouver World, we have strong evidence of an old saying: "You scratch my back and I'll scratch yours." Mutual taffy! Two-wheel horses of the Government, chewing each others manes in the Government corral, and basking in the sunshine of the Provincial Secretary's approbation. Common prudence would dictate that since the Government wagon has been laid up for the season, it should not be hauled out from under the shed of prorogation to lumber around over the susceptibilities of an exasperated public. But the Government is not built that way. Perturbed within from a secret sense of wrong-doing, and annoyed without by criticism but too well founded, self-vindication is the one irrepressible desire, and the Provincial Secretary, in his capacity as wagon-master, hoists himself into the seat of the Government vehicle and applies the "silk" to the journalistic hacks attached to the pole. Let the shoulders of these journalistic equines grow cold in the collar? Not he. There is something in the air which seems to say, the amendment to the School Act must be vindicated, and the galled jades of the Government must again take up their weary round. There is some excuse for the Colonist tugging at the Government traces. Government patronage is nutritious fodder. As for the World, however, if ever a cayuse should balk for the want of feed the World has cause. If sycophancy fails to account for the World's "able vindication" of the school act, then it must be feeding on government husks through the green goggles of its imagination. But it is not worth while for us to comment on the motives which prompt these journalistic plugs to champ the bit every time the government whip cracks. It is enough to know that they seek to vindicate the amendment to the school act and are trying to disabuse the public of the fact that under its provisions the Provincial Secretary can discharge every teacher in the province at his own sweet will. Under the new dispensation power has been lodged in the hands of one man and school trustees have been relegated to mere dummies. To further vindicate the lodgement of tyranny in hands of the minister of education, we are told that the daily marking business was instigated by meddlers, that Semlin and Humphreys are seditious, and that the school teachers are unanimous in favor of the marking system. We need reply only to the last count. If the school teachers are any more in favor of the daily marking system than hitherto, the suddenness of their conversion has but one parallel in history—that of the editor of the World. If the school teachers have met with a change of heart as alleged, it is the voice of the amendment to the School Act crying out from the depths of Government legislation: "It is hard to kick against the marks; repent ye, or ye shall all be fired." It is a case of subscribe to the marking or be dismissed, and consider yourselves lucky if you are not dismissed anyhow. Since the dissolution of the House, the Minister of Education has been poking around among the school teaching fraternity, a veritable devil among the tailors. He has "sized up" the recusants, and it is his intention to decapitate every mother's son of them, and to prepare the public for this practical illustration of the powers vested in him by the recent legislature, the Colonist collates the "strong testimony" of the World, with the addenda that the school teachers have experienced a change of heart. Thus is the public prepared for impending changes in the Educational Department.

BOULANGISM.

To those who have not kept themselves minutely posted on affairs in France, the political situation there is little short of chaotic, affording no ground whereon to base an opinion of the merits and demerits of the Government or the now exiled Boulanger. It is impossible in the brief space of a newspaper article, to throw much light on the situation, but we may offer a salient point on the origin of Boulangism. The Patriotic League, a resultant of the Franco-German war, produced Boulanger. This league was organized in 1882 by Paul Deroulede who is now Boulanger's first lieutenant. Ten years ago Deroulede was known as a young patriot and poet, who had been made prisoner at Sedan, but escaped in time to return to France and take part in the Loire and Est campaigns. He then, though an Imperialist, became a warm friend of Gambetta, in whom he saw *l'homme de la revanche*. The two became active co-workers, in spite of their political differences. For some years Deroulede had in view the formation of a great national league, designed to promote athletics, gymnastics, and everything calculated to train up a race of hardy soldiers, whose aim should be the recovery of Alsace and Lorraine. In January, 1882, a popular agitation was begun, which resulted in the organization of the *Ligue des Patriotes*, and, strangely enough, the first practical step in that direction was taken by the Government of the day, which named Deroulede as one of the members of a Commission of Military Education instituted by the Department of Public Instruction. The League at once became popular, and its growth was so rapid that its members now number some 250,000.

Later on, after the death of Gambetta, Deroulede drifted from Opportunism into Radicalism, and at last became the bitterest opponent of M. Ferry, whose unfortunate Tonquin policy filled him with rage. It was the League that made M. Ferry's election as president in December, 1887, impossible, and that thus paved the way for M. Sadi Carnot's elevation to that position. A few months prior to this Deroulede had welcomed and accepted General Boulanger as *l'homme de la revanche*—the man for whom he had been waiting since Gambetta's death. The popular soldier whom M. Freycinet in an unhappy moment in 1866 selected as his Minister of War rose into prominence with phenomenal rapidity, and Deroulede soon saw that his hero had appeared upon the scene. In time he saw "a new Gambetta, more than Gambetta, a soldier! and a soldier who loved the soldiers, who had improved their beddings and their breakfasts." Can it be wondered that the Ligue des Patriotes invented Boulangism. Deroulede deeply regretted Gambetta's death. It was no secret that his mind was for a time affected, and when Boulanger appeared on the scene that the man had at last arrived to save his country in the hour of need. And though M. Deroulede embraced Boulanger because he thought him the man to serve the cause of the revenge, soon that cherished cause itself became in his mind secondary to the triumph of his hero." And ever since the Patriotic League has fought the battles of General Boulanger, and with such success that the Government has at last turned upon it, and seeks to destroy it with the aid of the law. History, however, furnishes little ground for the belief that either criminal prosecutions or formal decrees of dissolution will kill the League; there is, on the contrary, every reason to believe that it will be thereby stimulated to greater activity, the more dangerous because of its enforced secrecy. There is a probability, moreover, that the prosecution of General Boulanger will soon render such secrecy unnecessary, in spite of the Government's decrees, and that the vigorous measures which M. Tirard has adopted will only hasten his fall, and probably that of the Republic.

DIRECT TAXATION.

The news comes from Sydney, New South Wales, that the colony proposes to abolish all specific duties and to impose direct taxation instead. The proposition has emanated from the government in parliament. Unlike the peculiar compact which rules British Columbia at the present time, the government of New South Wales appears to have a definite policy to offer and does not come down to the legislature, session after session asking their supporters to draw up one which will suit them. The proposal to adopt the Henry George principle of taxation is a bold one, and the government making it, one cannot help feeling, is to a certain extent taking its life in its hand. That there is something radically defective in the present systems of taxtion must be felt by everyone, but unless people are better educated in respect to the equity of it than they used to be direct taxation is not likely to find great favor with the masses. For want of being better understood, it has always been very unpopular, yet direct taxation is probably the most perfect system that has yet been invented and appears to be the only one under which the rich man and the poor man can be made to pay their proportion of the expense of government. The proposition of the New South Wales Government is in reality nothing new, but the test will nevertheless be watched with interest.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Rochester capitalists have formed a Dried Apple Trust. It won't do to water that stock.

The Gladstone cap is to be worn henceforth by the students of the University of Naples. Models of the head that filled the Gladstone cap might well be set up for the admiration of the world.

Sir Richard Webster has proposed a bill to punish with life imprisonment a spy caught making plans of English fortifications, and imposes a long term upon any government clerk convicted of a similar offense. It seems that there is now no law in England to reach this kind of offenders.

There is a rumor at Los Angeles that Rev. Sam Jones has formed a syndicate of promint capitalists from Atlanta and Chattanooga, for the purpose of purchasing the Tenth-street property, where the foundations for the projected Hotel Splendid are laid, and that the syndicate intends building a mammoth church for revivals, religious conferences and conventions.

The New Brunswick Legislature has a Government bill before it which will not only give every resident of the province twenty-one years or over a vote, but will abolish the property qualification of candidates for membership of the lower branch of the Legislature. The candidate will be required to place on deposit $100, and this will be refunded to him if he gets half as many votes as the lowest successful candidate.

An English scientist recently read a paper before the Statistical Society in London in which he gave an estimate of the length of the future commercial existence of each of the various English coal fields. According to this authority, all but one of the deposits will be exhausted within the next 100 years, and the average life he gives them is ninety-seven years. It may be, therefore, that before the year 2,000 arrives the old saying about "carrying coals to Newcastle" will have lost its significance.

Many scientific men believe that aluminium is destined to be the mineral of the future, displacing iron and steel. Aluminium abounds wherever there is a clay bank, but the processes of reducing it to a metallic form were costly until the electric current was utilized to that end. Aluminium is a soft, white metal which never rusts, is little more than one-third the weight of iron, combines readily with other metals, and when alloyed with copper becomes harder than steel.

Says a letter from London to the New York Sun: For years the life of King Milan has been one of profligacy and violent excesses. He shared with Prince Rudolf the honor of being the most dissolute man in Europe and the violent death of the Crown Prince of Austria at the culmination of a career of debauchery undoubtedly affected the King of Servia. Milan leaves the throne to go off with the heavy featured, but the majestic looking, Mme. Christich. She has a lot of money from her father, who is a banker in Constantinople. The pair will settle down in some quiet spot in Greece. There is a Mr. Christich, but he is of the shadows, a nebulous and misty character, and that part of him which has a tangible existence is understood to be quite ready for a divorce.

It turns out now, says the Chicago Herald, that the Canadians, instead of wanting to be annexed to the United States, have some idea of gathering to themselves a portion of the United States, and have set their avaricious eyes on New England. The Herald wishes them well in their attempt. There are no States of the Union that could be more easily dispensed with. They have never been loyal, and have always thrown the burden of the government from their own shoulders on the other States. In every war we have ever had as a nation they have held back. In the war of 1812, they prayed for the success of the enemy, and in the Mexican war they did substantially the same thing. By affinity and interest they belong to Canada, and if the Dominion will go about the matter in a diplomatic way, the United States government may be induced to make a bargain.

The following list gives us the number of killed and injured out of every million carried on the different railways in the world:

	No. killed per million carried.	No. injured per million carried.
United Kingdom..	1.79	9.12
Germany........	2.29	8.05
Austria-Hungary..	4.83	10.17
Belgium........	3.74	12.79
Russia........	12.11	19.25
Italy........	5.08	24.65

In France the record is somewhat better than in the other countries in Europe. In that country they managed to kill 2·59 per million passengers carried, which is 52 per cent. more than in the United Kingdom. On this side of the ocean, in four years ending in 1886, 1549 people were killed and 8,788 were injured by railway accidents, of which 762 were were killed by derailments and 4,145 injured from the same source. As derailments are chiefly due to defective permanent way, it may be assumed that if the rails had been heavier and stronger, this excessive mortality would have been greatly reduced.

Representatives of the various labor organizations are boycotting Weinhard's beer. Now, if they can enforce the boycott, and extend it to all makes of beer, what more could prohibition ask? If the labor organizations will go to work and boycott beer and whiskey in toto then they can dictate to capital, or if not dictate, all of their many strikes need not prove failures. Capital can only be beaten by capital. So long as labor invests its earnings in beer, it never can carry a solitary point. The weavers of Fall River were the victims of beer, and such is the case in nearly every strike. As the necesity of abstinence as a feature of economy gradually dawns upon the working man, temperance lecturers perse will find themselves with occupation gone, and labor committees for the adjustment of grievances and the like will be treated with the consideration due to men who have the accumulated savings of a million of men at their backs. Capital would indeed be in danger if labor should suddenly take a notion to boycott intoxicants of every description for the period of three months.

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D. W. MORROW,
Secretary.
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NOTICE.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXamination of the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Victoria commencing on the 7th day of May next. Full information can be obtained from the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
April 2, 1889. a2-dm

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the line, "City Carpenter $65.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this, 27th day of March A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
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C. W. RHODES, Witness. W. B. MORRIS.
Victoria B. C., April 3, 1889. ap4

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Henry Croft and William Angus under the firm name of "Croft & Angus," in British Columbia, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having any claims against the said firm of Croft & Angus are requested to send particulars thereof to Messrs. Davie & Pooley, of Langley street, Victoria, who are authorized to pay the same, and to collect the moneys due to the said firm. Every person owing money to the said firm is requested to pay the same to Messrs. Davie & Pooley.

As witness our hands this 30th day of March, 1889.

HENRY CROFT,
WM. ANGUS.
Witness: A. P. LUXTON. apl-30d

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DAVID Green, Merchant, of the City of Victoria, has this day executed a deed of assignment to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons indebted to the said David Green are hereby notified to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said David Green are requested to send the same in, duly verified to the undersigned.

Dated at Victoria B. C., this 12th day of March, A. D. 1889.

MORITZ STROUSS,
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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST.
Dated, Victoria, February 18th, 1889. fe18.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

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CHAPTER XI.

PROGRESS UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

As soon as he was free to get out of the barracks that afternoon Beautiful Jim betook himself off to the bazar, which was open for the last day. He found a great crowd there, for it was market day, and nearly all the country people had contrived to go to it for an hour or so before they went home.

The ladies were all very busy; for, in spite of a week's good sale, there was still a large quantity of things to be disposed of, and they were taking almost any price they could get for them so as to effect a clearance. Miss Earle was especially busy, her pleasant winning manner and fair, bright face bringing her many and many a customer who otherwise would not have cared to spend a farthing.

Beautiful Jim, however, suffered by this popularity, for he could not manage to get a word with her, or hardly one. He knew that she and Tommy were going home on the Monday morning, and he knew, too, that he could not hope by any chance to get even a two days' leave on this side of the 1st of September.

So Beautiful Jim, despite the gay and giddy throng of which he made one, was as nearly miserable as he could be while he had still the privilege of watching his divinity.

"I shan't see you after today, Miss Earle," he said, disconsolately, when at last she had ten minutes to spare, and he had the felicity of taking her off to the refreshment chalet for a cup of tea.

"Why not?"

"Because I'm on duty to-morrow, and I can't get any of the other fellows to do it for me," he returned, mournfully.

"Oh!" she cried in dismay, "and Mrs. Trafford is having a tea after the parish."

"Yes, I know," said he wretchedly. Then after a moment he exclaimed in a brighter tone: "There's one fellow I haven't asked, so there's just a chance yet for me."

"Then I shall not say good-by today," said Miss Earle, with decision. "I hate saying good-by. Don't you?"

"It depends," said Jim, guardedly. "It depends a good deal on the other person. Now, if I was saying good-by to you," he said, in a desperate tone—and just as Miss Earle was beginning to show the prettiest of danger signals in her cheeks and a droop in her sweet eyes, some—some—idiot, Jim said to himself, savagely, came clumsily along and knocked a heavy tea tray against her arm, making her shriek out in unmistakable pain.

"Now, then! Where are you going?" Jim thundered, looking daggers at the luckless individual.

After many apologies and regrets the poor wretch went away forgiven; and then, just as Jim was going to be tender and lover like over the poor arm, a great stream of people came in, among whom were two of the Leslie girls and Tommy Earle.

It is to be hoped that the recording angel does not put down all the naughty words that rise in the heart and never pass the lips; if he does, he must have had a busy ten minutes that Saturday afternoon, for Beautiful Jim's unspoken thoughts were—well, far from saintly.

Thus reminded of her duties, Nancy Earle went back to her post, and never another chance did Jim have of uttering the words which, if she would only hear and heed, would have made him the happiest man in Blankhampton that day! But for all that he hung about Lady Margaret's chalet with the persistence and fidelity of a dog, and once or twice, when Nancy sallied forth to dispose, by the unlawful and sinful means of raffling, of some rather large article of upholstery which hung on hand, he was privileged in being allowed to carry that same, to stand by while she enlarged on the beauties of soft cushions which nobody wanted to buy, and descanted on the merits of banner screens which were a mockery and an abomination.

"I may come and see you when I am in town?" he asked.

"Oh! yes, Mr. Beresford, we shall be delighted if you do," she replied heartily.

"Ah! I shall not be able to get leave until well on in September, or perhaps even October, and you won't be in town then," he said, in dejection and gloom. "You're sure not to be in town, then."

"I am not so sure," she said. "True, we always go to the country for several months and intend to stay all the winter—only, somehow, my father likes our house in town better than our country place, and we generally find ourselves home again in Hans place early in October. We may stay in the country longer this year, because Stuart may care to bring friends for the shooting. I suppose my father would like to be there if he did—only he does hate the country so. The country people bore him, and he says the house is a draught trap. And then he likes his paper at breakfast time, and he likes his club and his whist and all that. Oh, I dare say you will find us at home if you happen to be in town in October, or even at the end of September."

"It's a tremendous time from this to September," said Jim, feeling a little mollified by her information.

"Yes," said Miss Earle—"it is a sofa cushion, worked by the Duchess of Blankshire, only sixty chances at a shilling each, and I only want three to make up the number."

Beautiful Jim stood still and cursed at fate, the cushion and its noble maker the duchess, at the inquisitive person who desired to see it, at everything, in short, excepting Miss Nancy Earle.

"Look here," he said, brusquely. "Need you hawk that thing about any longer? I hate to hear you wasting blandishments over these people. I'll take the remaining chances."

"Oh! that is sweet and lovely of you," Miss Earle said. "Two shillings, please. I do hope you'll get it, for I'm real tired with trailing about trying to get rid of it."

"If I get it," grumbled Jim, "I shall take it back to barracks and burn it."

"But why?"

"Just to revenge myself on the duchess for making such a hideous thing," he answered.

However, he did not win it, for after a long and tiresome process the raffle was conducted in much solemn state up in a corner, the dean himself holding the bag; and the cushion fell to Miss Earle herself. She took it with very doubtful satisfaction.

"Mr. Beresford," she said, suddenly, as if a really brilliant idea had struck her, "you've been as good as gold helping me to get rid of it—I'll give it to you."

"To me!" cried Jim.

"Yes; it will help to brighten your room. Will you accept it?"

"Miss Earle," he said, "I will keep it forever."

"Then," said she, with a pretty laugh, "I think I will take it back and find you something prettier for a keepsake; for if you have such a thing as that in remembrance of me, it will not be very long before you say, or at least think, 'What a hideous thing that is. Why did I buy it? Oh! a girl gave it to me. Yes, young Earle's sister; it was at a bazar at Blankhampton.' And then you'll only remember the girl by the cushion, and you'll get to associate me with the cushion, and"——

"I will keep it," Jim declared, stoutly, keeping the uncomely cushion fast under his arm. "You gave it me—it is exquisite. I would not part with it for the world."

Miss Earle laughed again, and just then Lady Margaret beckoned to her. "Nancy, my dear, Aileen has had to go home. She has given in at last, poor child."

"Oh! poor Aileen," cried Nancy.

"Is Miss Adair faint? Can I do anything for her, Lady Margaret?" Jim asked, in great concern.

"No. She is over tired, that is all; thank you so much, though. This long week has been too much for her," Lady Margaret replied. "She has gone to lie down, but I hope she will be able to come down for supper."

For each evening there was supper at the Deanery for the workers at Lady Margaret's stall, and for such of those helpers as came from a distance.

"Oh! I do hope so," Nancy exclaimed. She was very fond of the beautiful Aileen.

"Meantime," Lady Margaret went on, "she told me to ask if you would finish off the raffle for this," holding out a child's little velvet pelisse, handsomely trimmed with lace.

"Oh, of course," Nancy answered, readily.

Beautiful Jim would fain have raised the objection that Nancy was almost as worn out by her labors as Miss Adair; but Nancy saw what was coming, and checked him by an imperative pat on the arm.

"That's good of you," exclaimed the dean's wife gratefully. "Then see here, dear. There are thirty-five shilling chances, and Aileen had already got seventeen taken up. Here is the bag with the names and the money. It will leave you eighteen still to get."

Beautiful Jim fairly groaned within himself—eighteen shillings to be wheedled out of eighteen unwilling pockets—eighteen men or women to captivate by all the pretty persuasions and graces which he wanted to keep so badly for himself—eighteen—oh! it was too cruel not to give her a moment's rest, and he would like to have burned the thing.

"Very well," Nancy answered. How ready and willing she was, worn out and weary though she might be, to take up the burden again and keep working still! "Here, Mr. Bereford, will you carry it for me?"

"With pleasure," returned Jim, not very truthfully, it must be owned; "and after this you too will knock off work, won't you?"

"Oh, yes, it will be time," answered Lady Margaret for her. "And, Nancy, be sure you tell the people how it happens to be so expensive. It is made of the best of velvet, the lace is very good, and the linings are silk. In fact, there is no profit on it whatever, for Mrs. Bateman made it for me for nothing."

"I'll tell them," said Nancy, and she started away at once on her mission.

But beautiful Jim could not stand any more of it.

"Miss Earle," he said, "please don't hawk that thing about any more, will you? I'll buy the chances remaining."

"But, Mr. Beresford," she said, "you don't need a little child's pelisse."

"No; but I'd like to buy the other chances if you've no objection," he returned, meekly.

"But what can you want with it?" she said.

"I don't want it, of course," he said. "Who would?" he asked, eyeing the little garment with huge contempt. "But I don't like to see you killing yourself over the thing—and—and—please do let me have the rest of the chances?"

"But eighteen chances—and, if you get it, what will you do with it?" she asked.

"Oh! give it to some one or other," he replied—"anything, so that you don't go about any more, wasting yourself on such a crew as this," moving his head impatiently from side to side so as to indicate the crowd gathered in the street of the Swiss village.

So Nancy Earle gave way and allowed him to fill up the eighteen places on her card with his initials; and then he drew her away from the glare of the lamps until he found a cozy and retired seat under a wide spreading tree.

CHAPTER XII.

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

In spite of the pains and trouble at which Beautiful Jim had been in order to secure a quiet half hour with Nancy Earle, they were not long left undisturbed under the shadow of the wide spreading tree beneath which they had taken refuge. For hardly had they settled themselves there in comfort before little Violet Leslie, followed by the incorrigible Tommy, pushed aside the branches and invaded their retreat; and the incorrigible Tommy, it must be understood, was quite too full and overflowing with his own importance to dream for a moment of betaking himself out of the way for the convenience and pleasure of his senior officer.

And that happened to be the very last chance he had of a quiet quarter of an hour with Nancy Earle before she left Blankhampton. For no sooner did they emerge from the shelter of the branches than they were seized upon by two of the Leslie girls, who demanded in their friendliest tones what was the state of business at Lady Margaret's stall.

Now, in Beautiful Jim's opinion, as in that of many another man, the Leslie sisters were quite the most brilliant and attractive girls in the town, but, as a truthful chronicler of Blankhampton life, I must own that, at that moment, he found himself wondering what in the wide world he could ever have seen attractive about any one of them. Poor Jim! From that moment until they were summoned into the Deanery for supper, he did not get rid of them, and by that time his last chance of a quiet talk with Nancy was gone.

The Leslies did not go into the Deanery, having a little festivity of their own that night; but as they parted from Nancy at the door some suspicion of the truth dawned upon Sarah.

"Norrie," she exclaimed, as soon as they were out of ear shot, "did you notice anything unusual about Beautiful Jim to-night?"

"I thought he seemed uncommonly flat—for him, that is," returned Norah, promptly.

"It's that Miss Earle," exclaimed Sarah; "and he is as gone on her as possible. What a joke—and oh! poor old fellow, what a shame we couldn't leave them together; she's going away on Monday."

"Oh, there's the parish to-morrow," said Norah, easily.

"Oh, but he is on duty to-morrow," Sarah cried. "Young Towers told me so, because Jim wanted him to do it, and he wouldn't. He said old Jim was in an awful way about it."

"Then I think he might have taken it, nasty little wretch!" said Norah, who had but little love for Towers. "Let us snub him all we know to-morrow."

But all the snubbing in the world didn't alter the fact that Beautiful Jim had found no one willing to do his duty, or that he was eating his very heart out in barracks on Nancy Earle's last day in Blankhampton.

As for Nancy, all the sweetness and light of the place seemed to have gone out, and out of her life too, so far as that went. She sat a long time beside the open window of her bedroom that night thinking — thinking — thinking! First, how savage he had been when Violet Leslie and Stuart came under the tree—as if poor dear Stuart would ever dream that they had gone there for more than five minutes' rest from the noise and turmoil of the fair. And how, when he had espied his servant in the crowd, he had given that hideous cushion to him, and bade him take it back to barracks with great care. Then how he had sat beside her at supper, and how tender and gentle he had been, and how he had held her hand at parting and looked at her—why, positively, her cheeks were burning as she thought of it. And then another thought rose up in her mind, a thought of which, owing to her training and the traditions of her house, she felt more than half ashamed.

"If only Stuart had not chosen just that spot and just that moment to take little Violet Leslie out of the crowd—ah! how different all might have been"—and then her eyes fell upon the child's little velvet pelisse which Jim had won and left behind him.

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Victoria, B. C., 29th January 1889.

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Dear Sir—I have very great pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was taken down with Rheumatic fever early in the spring which never seemed to entirely leave me; along in the summer my joints became so stiff and I was so crippled with Rheumatism that I could not walk without the help of a cane. I suffered very much pain whenever I attempted to move. I tried your medicine which cured me in a few weeks; I am now able to work and do not hesitate to recommend your medicines to the public, in my opinion there is nothing like them to cure Rheumatism.

WM. TRUESDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.

DR. J. EUGENE JORDAN M. D.

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicines, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.

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Victoria, September 27th, 1888.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog.

—The Fire Department will drill at 7:15 o'clock this evening.

—An adjourned meeting of the County Court will be held next Thursday.

—A large number of fishermen will go up to Shawnigan Lake to-morrow.

—Steamship City of Puebla will sail for San Francisco on Sunday afternoon.

—A Raymond & Whitcomb excursion party arrived yesterday over the N. P. R.

—The bear was taken to the park this afternoon. It's a male, and his name is Dennis.

—Steamship Walla Walla is expected to arrive this evening from San Francisco.

—DeCandia's grocery store was taken charge of by the sheriff at two o'clock this afternoon.

—A party of eight young men arrived from Ann Arbor, Mich., last night and are at the Oriental.

—Forged $5 bills of the Bank of British North America dated July 1877 are again being circulated.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet, 18 cents per yard, at McLennan & McFeely's, 16 Fort St. *2w

—A drawing of the Vancouver Island Building Society will take place at Harmony Hall to-night.

—Now that the legislature is no longer with us the organ grinder holds a daily matinee at a street corner.

—The sheriff will sell the groceries in DeCandia's store next week; also a vegetable garden at Spring Vale.

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best.

—A pleasing change is noticed in the appearance of Government street in substituting awnings for verandahs.

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The Winnipeg roller rink is doing a rushing business just now, contrary to the prophesies of a large number of people.

—The Spring Assizes will be held in the new law courts on Monday, May 20th. At Nanaimo the Assizes will be held on the 4th June.

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City.

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock.

—A meeting of the shareholders of the National Electric Tramway Company will be held this evening in the office, Bank of British Columbia building.

—Messrs Banks and Morris will construct a sawmill at Shawnigan Lake. The gentlemen expect to secure the right to cut timber all around the lake.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services.

—The steamship Abyssinia is expected to arrive here about the 25th, after which it is understood a China steamer will reach Vancouver every twelve days.

—The bark Thos. S. Stowe is having her ports cut open at Welch, Rithet & Co's. wharf, preparatory to loading spars at Moodyville for the United Kingdom.

—The first of Raymond's excursion parties arrived last evening on the steamer Olympian and are at the Clarence. They will return *via* the Canadian Pacific Railway.

—Is there anything more annoying than having your corn stepped upon? Is there anything more delightful than getting rid of it? Holloway's Corn Cure will do it. Try it and be convinced. *

—Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure, and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you. *

—An Indian woman was tried in the Provincial Court this afternoon on a charge of having liquor in her possession. She was fined $55, with the option of going to jail for three months unless the fine is paid.

—Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loisette, 237, Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus post free as advertised in another column. Ap. 9 4t. d. and w.

—There is comfort in store for persons troubled with lame back, rheumatic pains corns or bunions, who commence without delay, a course of *Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil*, followed up systematically until relief is obtained. *

—The Nanaimo *Courier* can "bear" a great deal from a Victoria exchange; but protests against the neat plagarisms of the *Colonist*. It is to be hoped the *Colonist* will "bear" in mind that such "bare"-faced stealing is contrary to rules.

—Those old pioneers, the verandahs, are gradually disappearing. The improvements in most cases is very noticeable, but in others it merely has the effect of making the nakedness of an old, squatty building, that might well be torn down with the verandah, more visible.

—The special train from Nanaimo bringing Mr. James Dunsmuir, came down in two hours and ten minutes, while the ordinary train takes four hours. This speaks well for the construction of the railway and demonstrates that much faster time could be made by the regular trains if it was so desired.

—Mr. J. D. Bryant, of Saanich, has lost a fine three-year-old blooded filly valued at $500. Inflammation of the bowels was the cause. Although the value of the beast is placed at $500, Mr. Bryant would not have parted with her for a much larger amount, as she was one of the prettiest animals in the province.

—*F. Burrows*, of Wilkesport, writes that he was cured of a very dangerous case of inflammation of the lungs, solely by the use of five bottles of *Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil*. Feels great pleasure in recommending it to the public, as he has proved it (for many of the diseases it mentions to cure) through his friends, and in nearly every instance it was effectual. *

—The residence of His Honor Lieut. Governor Schultz, of which is now nearing completion at Harrison's Springs, is a large, roomy house, 50 feet square. It is two and a half stories in height, will be surrounded by a large, roomy verandah, and will be finished inside with panneled maple, cedar and other native woods, costing in the neighborhood of $4,000.

—Disease gathers strength as it advances. Annihilate it at its birth. When the bowels become sluggish, digestion feeble, or the liver torpid, they should be aroused and stimulated with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, a medicine foremost in usefulness among alteratives. It should not be abandoned if an immediate cure is not effected, but be used as it deserves, systematically and with persistence. It will then prove that it is thorough.

—Mr. H. B. McKinnon, painter, Mount Albert, says: "Last summer my system got impregnated with the lead and turpentine used in painting; my body was covered with scarlet spots as large as a 25-cent piece, and was in such a condition that I could scarcely walk. I got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and at once commenced taking it in large doses, and before one-half the bottle was used there was not a spot to be seen, and I never felt better in my life." *

To Enter the Dock.

Capt. Devereaux, superintendent of the dry dock, states that H. M. S. Swiftsure will enter the dock and undergo a thorough overhauling. She is expected to arrive on Sunday.

Schooners Sold.

The American fishing schooners Mollie Adams and Edward E. Webster have been sold at Seattle by Capt. Solomon Jacobs to William Hudder for $10,000 and $7,000 respectively.

J. Montobio's Will.

The will of the late John Montobio bequeathes his entire property to his adopted daughter, Mrs. Morello, and her child, in equal proportions. Mr. Morello states that the estate was heavily encumbered, and when settled up will amount to about $3,000.

The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

The Boat Stealers.

Ketchum and Clark, charged with stealing a boat from a settler of San Juan Island, were tried at Port Townsend on Wednesday. A witness from this city swore that he exchanged a sloop for the stolen boat in Victoria harbor. The prisoners were convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for six months.

Tourists for Alaska.

Among the millionaires who will visit Alaska this summer are D. O. Mills and Ogden Mills, Justice Stephen Field and wife and Senator Stanford and Mrs. Stanford. It is estimated that the Seward-Webb party, who will go north by the Islander, will expend $100,000 on the round trip for fares, etc.

Who is He?

A New York dispatch of the 6th says that "Lewis, the Light," the religious crank who has for month made trouble in the churches of this city, has realized that he cannot convert the world. He has given up the idea, and requests the Charities Commissioners of Brooklyn to send him back to British Columbia, where his wife, as a barber, can support him in ease and comfort.

Art Notice.

G. W. Bigger will enlarge small pictures of any kind, or the most difficult one you have to work from, and give you a nice portrait handsomely framed and delivered all O. K. Your choice of eight different works, oil included, porcelain, steel engraving and water colors, Indian ink, pastel and crayon that will excel any ever seen in the country. Your portrait sent C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Canada. Send your photos or tintype to 86 Government street, Victoria.

House Cleaning.

That particularly interesting time of year known as the house cleaning season is at hand. These seasons are a little hard on the men, no mistake, and many of their valuable papers and pairs of slippers will disappear never to return again, not at least till the next domestic upheaval takes place. Much good, however, is said to have come out of "house cleaning," and as the ladies aver that "it must be done," it is every man's duty to bear the trials incident to it with becoming patience and resignation.

Millar's Panorama.

The exhibition to take place to-morrow afternoon in the Victoria Theatre will be first-class in every respect. The Deptford *Times* says: "A most excellent, entertaining, and at the same time instructive entertainment is exhibiting this week. The Mirror comprises a series of views of the most noted and beautiful parts of the world, depicted in a faithful, telling manner, and shown by the most wowerful combination of light in the world, beaten only by the electric light itself."

Building Boom.

Contractor Ross has been awarded the contract for a cottage residence to be erected on Pandora avenue, for Mr. Antoine Vigelius. The cost will be about $2,800. Mr. John Teague is the architect. In parenthesis, Mr. Teague says the outlook for building was never so prosperous as at present, an opinion which certainly carries conviction with it.

Excavating for Brackman & Kerr's new brick building on Government street next to E. G. Prior & Co's. store, was commenced to-day. The plans show a handsome two-story building to cost $8,000.

Visiting the Swiftsure.

The San Francisco *Call* says nine thousand people visited the Swiftsure last Sunday. The vessel was open to visitors from early morning till dusk. Admiral Heneage was ill and had not been on shore since arrival, but was improving. He was on deck during a small portion of the day, seated in a reclining chair. The Admiral had telegraphed to the United States Secretary of the Navy, Tracy, his sympathy for the loss of the American men-of-war and lives at Apia, to which he had received a most courteous reply. The next British man-of-war due at 'Frisco is the twin-screw cruiser Amphion.

Choral Society's Concert.

The Choral Society, in order to have a most successful concert, are holding several extra rehersals. A rehearsal of the choruses took place on Wednesday evening last, and last evening was devoted to the training of the solos, duets, etc. The committee of management, and the conductor, Prof. Sharpe, are working hard, and if the success of the concert depends on their efforts we predict for them an overflowing house. The object of the concert is a worthy one and the society are deserving of a liberal patronage. The "Ancient Mariner" is a magnificent oratorio, and a rich musical treat may be anticipated on the evening of April 22nd.

Swarming.

This city is filled with amateur detectives connected with agencies in the Eastern States. Young men with badges and handcuffs are flying around shadowing imaginary Tascott's and Black Bart's, Countesses and defaulters. The city police have been reinforced by three men in plain clothes. Two detective agencies in the city engaged eight boys and the Pinkertons, with a description of Tascott, are searching over the whole city for imaginary criminals. They shadow every young fellow taking his girl to a dance and are considered a nuisance by both parties. A criminal in this city at the present time would have a good show to receive his deserts and would be captured inside of 20 years by some of the boy detectives.

Echos From Alberni.

On Monday night, April 1st, Peter Merrifield, aged 63, passed peacefully away after a long and painful illness. The deceased was an old pioneer and well known as an old Cariboo'ite, arriving in British Columbia in 1862. Some 12 years since he came to Alberni to spend his declining years. Four years ago he contracted a cold from the effects of which he never recovered. The deceased was buried in the new cemetery on Wednesday, 3rd April, and the funeral was largely attended. The burial service was read by Mr. John C. Mollet.

Mr. E. D. Folwell cut his foot severely with an axe on Thursday, April 4th, while slashing. He is progressing as well as can be expected.

The new jail is completed, the superintendent of works (G. A. Smith) accepted it from the contractors, Messrs. Gill and Orr. Before the jail was finished Mr. McQuillon facetiously wrote his own name over the door of one of the cells and that of Mr. Mollet over the other.

Mr. G. A. Huff, J. P., is placed in an awkward position, he being the only J. P. in Alberni. Mr. Mollet having also tendered his resignation. New J. P's. should be appointed without delay.

J. C. U.

ALDERMANIC BOARD.

The Sewerage Question—Street Railway By-Law.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last evening to discuss drainage and the electric tramway by-law. Present: His Worship Mayor Grant, Ald. Harris, Harrison, Coughlan, McKillican, Kelly, Styles, Goodacre and Vigelius.

SEWERAGE.

The Board went into committee of the whole to consider the question of draining the city.

The chairman of the Sewerage Committee reported that it was the opinion of the committee that some experienced engineer should be employed to confirm the plans already before the Board; or to give their opinion in regard to the best system of drainage.

Ald. Kelly considered a sewer twelve feet in the ground quite far enough down; Mr. Pickering's plan placed the sewer in some places 22 feet in the ground.

Ald. Goodacre coincided with the remarks of Ald. Kelly. He was of the opinion that the employment of a competent sanitary engineer would be beneficial, financially certainly, to the city.

Ald. Styles considered that the present plans placed the sewer too deep. A change in the plans would, however, he was afraid, interfere with the Johnson street sewer, for the construction of which, tenders had already been invited.

Ald. Harris answered that no change could be made in Johnson street sewer. The decision of the supreme court made it compulsory for the council to go ahead.

Ald. Harrison was also of the opinion that the sewer would be too deep. He was in favor of employing a competent engineer to give an opinion of his own on the drainage of this city. Mr. Pickering's estimate of the cost of taking rock out, was far below what the work could be done for. There were also many omissions of important items in Mr. Pickering's plan. Nothing could be gained by placing the sewer at the depth that was proposed, the opinion of the two ex-Mayors to the contrary notwithstanding.

Ald. Harris moved that Mr. T. C. Keefer be communicated with, and his opinion obtained on the question of sewerage. Mr. Keefer was president of the American and Canadian societies of engineers, and he thought his opinion would be very satisfactory.

Ald. Harrison remarked that if Mr. Keefer was not a *sanitary* engineer, his opinion would be useless. He had been informed of an offer made by a prominent sanitary engineer of Toronto to come to Victoria and prepare a report on sanitary matters. He advised that this engineer and Mr. Keefer both be communicated with, and their prices for coming out to Victoria and preparing a report be obtained.

Ald. Harris was in favor of Pickering & Compton's plan, as the only one that would give satisfaction with the main sewers. Some sanitary engineers would have to be employed, however, to look after the work. It would be impossible to change the grade of the main sewer, as the fall now was only one foot in a thousand.

The Mayor considered it was time the Council went to work to drain the city. A large number of tourists remained away from Victoria because the city was not properly drained. His Worship favored the separate system. It would not be necessary to employ another practical engineer. The city wanted a good system of sewerage. The proposed plans, he argued, placed the sewers too deep. Mr. Bell, a competent man himself, thought that the Pickering & Compton plans could be lifted and considerable expense saved.

Ald. McKillican thought that the people were in favor of the Pickering & Compton's combined scheme. Mr. Pickering, when in Victoria, had made an estimate of the cost, and he thought the best scheme would be to get him to come out and do the work for the amount of his estimate. He thought that Mr. Pickering would guarantee to carry out his scheme for the amount of his estimate—less than $500,000. He moved that the Sanitary Committee and Mayor Grant be authorized to communicate with any sanitary engineers, and ascertain what they would charge to come to Victoria and report on the combined and separate systems of sewerage.

Ald. Coughlan said that Messrs. Pickering & Compton had made no estimates for doing the work. He thought that it would be quite satisfactory to drain into the harbor, the way that all the other cities of the coast did.

The resolution was passed and the committee rose and reported it to the council.

ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Ald. Harris moved that the council go into committee, Mayor Grant in the chair, to consider the by-law relating to the National Electric Tramway Company.

The by-law was introduced by Ald. Harris, read a first time, and referred to a committee consisting of the chairmen of the finance, street, and electric light committees, the Mayor and the city barristers, to report to the board on Tuesday evening next.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Mr. C. R. Hosmer, manager of the C. P. R. telegraph, is expected to arrive in Victoria soon.

Maj. A. B. Rogers is very ill at the residence of his brother, L. G. Rogers, at Waterville, Minn. The trouble is cancer of the stomach.

M. W. T. Drake was amongst the arrivals from the mainland on last night's steamer.

Capt. H. G. Lewis, agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, returned from the mainland last night.

Alex. Dunsmuir, son of Hon. R. Dunsmuir, arrived from San Francisco last evening.

A. W. Vowell is seriously ill at the Windsor hotel, Montreal.

Mr. Chas. Gabriel went up to Tumbo Island this morning to inspect his coal properties.

J. C. Calbreath was a passenger for Seattle this morning.

C. G. Ballentyne and wife were registered at the Palace, San Francisco, last Tuesday.

A. Roper, of Nanaimo, is at the Oriental hotel.

Mr. McEdwards, formerly proprietor of the Victoria Hotel, Vernon, arrived from Kamloops last night and will remain for some weeks in the city for the benefit of his health.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir's condition is still a matter of great anxiety to his medical attendants and friends. The doctors report him as on the way to recovery and they entertain the hope, in common with the whole community, that their patient will be fully restored at an early day.

Dr. Hannington, who has been ill for some days, was up yesterday and his friends hope to see him around next week.

Marine.

Schooner Pathfinder, Capt. O'Leary, was passed in the Straits this morning by the steamer Pilot. The sealing schooner will arrive this evening.

Steamer Pilot returned from Cape Flattery this morning. The steamer towed the ship Richard III. to sea.

Steamer Sardonyx will sail for Skidegate and way ports on Monday.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will leave for Skeena River and way ports on Tuesday.

Steamer Pilot reports twelve vessels in Neah Bay.

Boating Club.

There will be a meeting in Lowenberg, Harris & Co.'s office at 8 p. m. of gentlemen interested in the formation of a boating club. There will be no difficulty in forming a first class club if those fond of aquatics will only unite and push the thing along.

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

His Honor said before going on with the business that he received extracts from the newspapers regarding disturbances in the theatres in this city. He considered it improper to have such communications sent to a magistrate. The Court knew nothing of the case until a party was before it. The clerk of the court was in his office to issue summonses. No one complained to him, therefore he is not responsible. The police are not to blame, because the theatres are private property. If the parties writing the communications have any complaints they can lay them before the Court in a proper way. He looked up the law on the subject and found nothing to apply to a disturbance in a theatre. The lessees of the theatre should keep order in their own private proverty.

Francis Johnson was charged with obstructing passengers by lying across the footpath on Broad street. Fined $5.

Lee Sing, on remand from the 11th inst., on a charge made by Officer Miller of supplying gin to an Indian.

Supt. Sheppard asked Officer Miller—Where is the liquor?

Officer Miller—I left it in the court.

A search was made for the whiskey by the whole force. It was discovered in an outhouse.

Officer Miller said he saw the prisoner coming out of the Telegraph Hotel with something under his coat. Saw him hand a bottle of whiskey to an Indian.

His Honor—The Superintendent will take a note of this house.

Supt. Sheppard—I notified them to stop selling to Chinamen. They said they would sell to white men and Chinamen.

The arresting officer said he saw prisoner leave again for the Telegraph Hotel where he purchased another bottle, which he handed to the same Indian.

The Indian corroborated the evidence of Officer Miller. Prisoner was sentenced to imprisonment for three months.

Alvin Aukerman, on remand, charged with stealing two books, was the next case called. Mr. Mason, of Messrs. Eberts & Taylor's office, appeared for the defense.

His Honor, after hearing the evidence, said he sent two men to gaol for six months for stealing blankets. The defendant was, in His Honor's opinion, guilty of the offense charged.

The prosecutor asked to have a light penalty imposed.

His Honor—I will send him to jail for one month with hard labor.

Mr. Mason appealed the case.

Edward Cooper, on remand, charged with stealing a shot-gun belonging to Capt. Steward, was discharged.

Defendant—I want the gun, your Honor.

His Honor—I know nothing about the gun.

Supt. Sheppard—I will keep the gun until the schooner returns.

Edward Hodges, charged with intimidating May Williams, failed to appear. The case was adjourned for one day.

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—J Cox, J Roderic, Mrs Johnson, W Evans, E B Dean and wife, Chas Kennedy, W R Mackenzie, C C Crane, A O Kelly, F J Parker and wife, T A Ward, Mrs Vilers, Mrs Arnold, Hill and wife, Miss Parker, Miss Sylvester, Miss Hunt, Cushing and wife, Gorswold and wife, F O Heald, G W Porter and wife, S Dunsmuir, M Miller, H Newman, Mrs D S Thompson, C O Mitchell, Chas Butler, J P Collie, E Escalet, R Parker, A Decult, Ferdinand J Smidt, J Muir, Wallen, G W Snell, Mrs A E Elliott, Mrs R Bray, J G Jaques, Dr Saunders, Miss B Moore, Miss L Woodruff, D Morgan, W P Beady, W Brownlee, C Closer, J Sarger, M Roach, J McDonald, C Williby, M R Lear, Mrs H Warner, daughter and son, Wong Bing.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—W P Crawford, Jas Rutherford, B Schumacher, F E Sutton, Wm Baye, M W T Drake, A McDougall, C E Tripp, Mary Taylor, A Postill, A Saunders, B Paine, J A Schubert, Chas S Finck, R J Clark, A J Paul, Ed C Bayar, Jos Backus, R J Skinner, H L Ceperly, O E Collins, Miss Randall, Jas Wilson, D Cowen, M Edwards, W Taylor, E Bodwell, C E Beardsley, Agnes Rutherford, F McCorbery, Hy Akyer, Calvert Meade, J Guard, E Nordon, Mrs Ceperly, J J Robson, Ed Younghusband, Capt D McFadden, Capt Lewis, E A Morris, Mrs Williams, J L Campion.

Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—Miss Byrnes, Mr and Mrs Goodyear, Mr and Mrs Edwards, J Dillon, W A Russell, H Dillon, E Cook, J S Turner, H Green, W Pollard, W Dealy, B Leach, J Oldenhouse, F Roberts, S Lee, G H Murray, W Sanlter, Chas Hancka, C C Pearl, J Welby, B Mowatt, T Nichols, Jno Nichols, C Nichols, T J Burns, E Oxby, J Graham, Jas Wilson, Jno Dougall.

Consignees.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Hall & Goepel, A B Gray, C R King, E Harrison, Fell & Co, Harrison & McA, H B Co, J Wrigglesworth, M H Cowan, S Leiser, Brown & W, Albion Iron Works, B Williams, C R McD & Co, E G Prior, Hastie & L, H King, H Jewell, J Sehl, Muirhead & Mann, W Heathorn, M W Waitt, C Strouss & Co, D Spencer, Ellis & Co, Hault Mfg Co, H Young, Jos Sommers, Lewis Lewis, Peacock & C, J A Scott, Dom Exp Co.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—Jno Parker, Geo F Corfield, E G Prior, J K Gill & Co, S J Pitts, A R Johnson & Co, British American Packing Co, H G Waterson, S Leiser, Kelly & McMillan, D H Ross, E B Marvin, Renwick & H, Lenz & Leiser, H Young & Co, J A T Caton & Co, A T Cohen & Co, Hy Young, G H Maynard, J Fullerton, Nicholles & R, C Butler.

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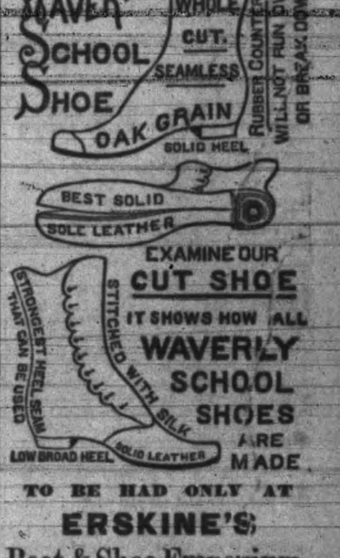

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